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1. Mr. Kirkpatrick spoke to me about his interest in having the Office of Training develop a complete program of training courses or schools to be conducted by CIA which would do for us what the Armed Forces school system does for them. His suggestion was that this be done by OTR without consultation with other components and without regard to the availability of students to attend these various courses. (While I did not take this as a directive, this is something that I have long been interested in and which I do want to pursue with Matt Baird.) *H*

25X1A9a 2. Dr. Tietjen telephoned to say that he was going to see [REDACTED]
25X1A9a today and that he felt he must tell Mr. [REDACTED] that he would not waive any of the
25X1A9a medical requirements normal to an overseas assignment. Mr. [REDACTED] undoubtedly
will appeal this. (I have decided that I am not going to make a decision all by myself
in this case. I want to discuss it with General Carter and arrive at a policy decision
for my guidance in similar cases where Christian Scientists do not wish to subject
themselves to inoculations or other medical treatment.)

25X1A9a 3. [REDACTED] telephoned about [REDACTED]. He would like to have 25X1A9a
25X1A9a Charlie understand that he is not to remain in the merged IO/CA component. I
have instructed [REDACTED] to take care of this without delay. I also told Tom
25X1A9a [REDACTED] that I would like to have him come by at his convenience and bring me up
to date as to what was going on in the counter-insurgency field, as well as its impli-
cations as far as CIA was concerned. He said that he would be glad to do this and
would call me sometime next week.

4. I asked Col. Edwards to make up a proposed list of "key executives" who would have use of the Director's private elevator. I want to get the Director's approval on this and then get his approval on the allocation of parking spaces in the garage. In this connection, I told [REDACTED] that the garage should be open and ready for use by 23 April. *H*

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25X1A 5. I met with Matt Baird and Emmett Echols to discuss Matt's situation wherein
a number of his instructors who are members of the Clandestine Services have been
declared surplus in the [REDACTED] exercise. While I am still opposed to picking up any of
25X1A9a these people if it can be avoided, I agreed that we could offer Messrs. [REDACTED] 25X1A9a
[REDACTED] reserve appointments not to exceed three years. I decided

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that no other reserve appointments should be offered at this time. If, in fact, in the final analysis it would appear that the Clandestine Services could not furnish replacements, we may have to offer reserve appointments to some of the others.

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6. I talked to [REDACTED] about disposition of the slots which would be eliminated when [REDACTED] was closed down. As I understood it, some of these slots should go to the T/O's of other Far East stations where instructors would be on a PCS basis. Others should go to OTR here at headquarters if they were to send out TDY instructors. Still others might be eliminated completely or go elsewhere to fill high priority needs. I asked [REDACTED] to submit his recommendations.

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7. I talked to Emmett Echols about a detailed briefing for me on the Office of Personnel and have asked him to prepare a proposed schedule. In view of the interest which the Director and General Carter have shown in our personnel system, I want to make sure that I understand completely what we have, how it works, and whether it is good enough.

8. I advised Matt Baird that we were working on the [REDACTED] problem, and I proposed approval of something very close to his recommendation. I told him that he would have my decisions within a few days.

9. [REDACTED] came to see me at his request, ostensibly to talk about the 501 computer. I found him very difficult to nail down and, while he would not admit it, I thought that he felt his estimates of both the price and time required to complete [REDACTED] were inadequate, and he was trying desperately to find excuses. I did not take any pressure off him. He went from here to pay his respects to General Carter. (I want to follow up with General Carter to see what this conversation was all about.)

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10. I talked with Ting Sheldon, Emmett Echols, and Jim Garrison about [REDACTED] entering on duty at grade GS-18. He is to be the full-time and permanent Chairman of the SIGINT Committee. There are some legal technicalities in connection with his pay, tax situation, etc., in view of his retired status. There is also a space problem which Jim Garrison has been told to sort out without delay.

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11. Emmett Echols reported that we are going to have about 65 JOT's for the July class, provided security clearances come through. I have talked to Shef Edwards about this and asked him to please insure that we do not lose these people through the lack of security clearances.

12. [REDACTED] advised me not to move Mr. Dulles to East Building, and also that, while the Director approved of maintaining a few executive offices in East

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Building for senior people having downtown meetings, etc., he wanted these all to be on the first floor; therefore, we are to occupy the entire second floor of East Building. I have communicated this to Jim Garrison.

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14. I have alerted Shef Edwards to be prepared on short notice to brief General Carter, Kirk, and me on security cases of interest. (This would be the semi-annual review previously agreed upon by General Cabell, the Inspector General, and myself.)

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